

SPIRAL LEGGINGS UNDER THE BAN AT CAMP SHELBY

Soldiers Must Overhaul Wardrobes—Richmond Boys Stationed There.

CAMP SHELBY, Miss., Feb. 8.—Enlisted men of Indiana outfits who have been affecting the spiral leggings of the British army, silk hat cords, and other unsanitary decorations received a severe blow a few days ago when an order issued from camp headquarters prohibiting the wearing of hats, leggings and other equipment not issued by the quartermaster corps. Military police were directed to arrest all offenders and as a result wool puttees were put away, silk hat cords went into the fire and soldiers hit by the order wondered how they were going to lengthen overcoats which they had shortened and in other ways prepare themselves to appear in public garb in the uniform as prescribed. The order also affects the overcoats worn by officers, it being required that they shall wear the long ankle length coat very much like that provided for enlisted men instead of the short macintosh with which many have equipped themselves.

The final drive of the big army insurance campaign is now under full way among men of the Thirty-eighth National Guard Division. A steady effort is being made to make the fighting force at Camp Shelby "100 percent insured," before Feb. 12. The automatic insurance granted by the government expires on that date, but officers of the Thirty-eighth Division hope that by that time every man in the division will have taken advantage of the opportunity now presented. Tuesday afternoon and Wednesday morning were declared holidays in order that company commanders might bend every effort in getting the men of their organizations insured. Nearly every organization in the division is averaging more than \$1,000,000 worth of policies written to date and it is expected that this amount will be doubled in many outfits before the big campaign comes to a close.

Every reasonable pressure is being brought to bear upon men who have taken no insurance whatever, and men who have taken less than \$10,000 are being advised and persuaded to increase the amount to the maximum.

The branch unit of the American Library Association, which has been under construction here for the past several weeks, will be opened to the soldiers of the division in a very few days, according to an announcement made today by G. F. Griffin, chief librarian and director of the association. The building erected here is not far from the camp in the One Hundred and Fifty-first Infantry and only a short distance from the camp theater.

Just as soon as the main library is opened, twelve branch stations where soldiers can obtain books will be available throughout the camp. Each of the five Y. M. C. A. buildings will have a branch, while others are to be located at the K. C. hut, the quartermaster corps club, remount depot, rifle range and at the hostess house, the latter being under the supervision and direction of the Y. M. C. A. at Hattiesburg.

That the service of machine guns has come to be in fact, if not in name, a separate arm of the service, is the text of an order issued Monday from division headquarters. "The machine gun service," the order reads, "has become so highly specialized and is so exacting in the special training, which it demands, that success in this work requires officers to devote their entire

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time to it, as is necessary in the infantry and in the artillery. The service of machine guns has come to be in fact, if not in name, a separate arm of the service.

The machine gun units of the division are under the order constituted one organization for the appointment and promotion of officers. This organization includes the three machine gun battalions and the machine gun company of each of the four infantry regiments. As a result of this plan, regimental commanders will be no longer authorized to make transfers of officers to or from the machine gun companies of their respective regiments.

RUMORS BEFOG PEACE PARLEY

LONDON, Feb. 8.—The resumption of the peace negotiations at Brest-Litovsk today, if it occurs, will take place in a fog of vague reports and contradictions as far as the outside world is concerned.

Statements in many German newspapers indicate a probable breach between the Germans and the Bolsheviks and the conclusion of a separate arrangement between the central powers and the Ukraine. No light on the situation comes from Russian sources.

A dispatch from the Petrograd correspondent of the Daily News, under Tuesday's date says there has been no direct telegraphic news received there from Brest-Litovsk for four days. The German alleged that the wires were damaged whereupon the Russians similarly "damaged" the direct wire between Petrograd and Berlin used by the Austro-German delegation.

Foreign Minister Trotsky is reported to be at Brest-Litovsk but nothing has been heard from him.

In the meantime the Bolsheviks continue to circulate by means of the wireless statements regarding the triumph of the Bolsheviks in the Ukraine.

GREENSFORK, IND.

Percy Brown and Paul Brooks returned here Tuesday morning from Richmond. Rev. Coddington filled his appointment at the Liberal United church at Sugar Grove, Sunday. Earl Ridge made a business trip to Richmond Tuesday. Miss Ruth Harris returned Monday after being absent from her school last week. Lora Boyd, Clyde Nicholson, Edna Carline and Earnest Burg were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burg, Sunday evening. Miss Margaret Quigley of Williamsburg, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Will Ellis, Saturday. Ralph Nicholson made a business trip here from Richmond Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Alba Harter, Edith Smith

TELLS OF LOAN BY BOLO PASHA

PARIS, Feb. 8.—The first woman witness to be called by the government to testify against Bolo Pasha, now being tried for treason, took the witness stand late yesterday. She was Madame Marie LaFargue, at one time an intimate friend of Abbas Hilmi, the former Khedive of Egypt. Her appearance created a mild stir in the crowded court room.

Madame LaFargue's testimony was principally to the effect that Bolo, notwithstanding his claim that he never kept business books, and cared nothing for money had once loaned her 20,000 francs, but only on condition that she give him a mortgage on her property as well as a note signed by her mother, her two brothers and herself. The accused, she said, played the part of a shrewd and exacting business man throughout the transaction.

Bolo Pasha denied that he had made a loan to Madame LaFargue, claiming that at the time mentioned according to the testimony of M. Doyen, a financial expert, he had an income of only 47,000 francs.

Yesterday's session was devoted almost wholly to hearing corroborative testimony and M. Casella, a newspaper writer and M. Mouthon, editor in chief of the Journal. The newspaper man described in great detail the activities in Switzerland of Bolo Pasha, his relations with the former khedive of Egypt and the purchase of stock in the Journal.

of Richmond, Edward Lelunday of Huntington, W. Va., and Walter Renner of Williamsburg, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Smith Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown spent Wednesday in Richmond. Miss Elma Curtis of Pennville, spent Wednesday with Miss Margaret Breen. Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Strickler of Hagerstown, are the parents of a girl, christened Evelyn Pauline. Mrs. Strickler was formerly Miss Ethel King, of Greensfork. J. S. Nicholson shipped 53 head of hogs Wednesday. D. W. Harris, spent Thursday in Indianapolis on business.

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Senior Day at Oxford College February 22

OXFORD, O., Feb. 8.—Senior Day at the Western College for Women, the day that the forty-two members of the graduating class will make their first appearance in academic caps and gowns, will be observed Friday, Feb. 22, with elaborate ceremonies. The principal address will be delivered by Dr. Charles Frederick Wishart, pastor of the Second Presbyterian church, Chicago.

DANGER OF SHORTAGE OF COAL STILL ACUTE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Despite improved weather conditions in most sections of the east today, danger of widespread suffering from lack of coal had not been removed and formal announcement that the Monday closing order would remain in effect until the situation was bettered were going forward to all eastern fuel officials.

Although the fuel administration and railroad administration in deciding that the closing must continue, hope that the shutdown next Monday followed by the voluntary closing of many establishments on Lincoln's birthday, will relieve the situation further, no secret was made of the fact that the railroad freight traffic is less than half of normal.

Coal was being given preference everywhere but comparatively small stocks were being hoarded. Trains could not reach the mines through heavy snow drifts in some Pennsylvania regions and officials pointed out that the full effect of the arrangement and the decrease in the coal production will be felt tomorrow and Saturday unless the improved weather conditions continue.

TO PRO GERMAN NAME

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Feb. 8.—The German House, headquarters for Indiana's largest German society, probably will be known as the Athenaeum of Indiana after this month. The proposed change in name is due to public sentiment against German titles here.

Most of Japan's pearl divers are women, who begin to learn the trade at the age of thirteen or fourteen.

RAILROADS WILL BE WELL PAID

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Chairman Smith of the Senate interstate commerce committee in reporting favorably to the senate today, the administration railroad bill, estimated that under the measure's provisions the government will guarantee annually to the railroads of the country, \$945,000,000, which will represent a return of 5.32 percent. This, he says "reflects neither poverty nor riches" but the committee believes a majority of the

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Women's 50c Kitchen APRONS 39c

Women's \$2 House Dress's \$1.29

Women's \$3.00 Wool Swe'tr \$1.79

Boys' \$7 Serviceable SUITS \$3.98

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Women's 50c Silk Hose . . . 33c

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Women's 75c Fleece Underwear 59c

Women's \$1.00 Silk Hosiery, 59c

Women's 50c Lisle Vests . . . 33c

Women's 75c Union Suits . . . 39c

Women's 25c Lisle Hose . . . 19c

MEN'S WEARABLES

Men's \$2.00 Ribbed Fleece 98c

Men's \$1.00 Flannel Shirts . . 69c

Men's 50c Wool Hosiery . . . 33c

Men's \$1.50 Work Sweaters, 89c

Men's 75c Fleece Underwear, 59c

Men's \$1.50 Union Suits . . . 98c

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Women's 75c Flannel Petticoat 49c

Boys' \$1.50 Corduroy PANTS 88c

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Clearance of Yard Goods

For Saturday only we are offering unheard of values in our yard goods department. Compare our prices with other stores' so-called sale prices. Then come Saturday and be convinced how we save you money.

27-Inch Apron Gingham—In all color checks; special for Saturday, 8 1/2c.

15c Linen Crash Towelling 8 3/4c—18-Inch Bell Rock Towelling with blue or red border—Priced special at 8 3/4c.

One lot of 23c Serpentine Crepe—in blue, red, green & almost any wanted shade; priced special at 14 1/2c.

40-Inch Rice Cloth—Worth 22c; priced special for Saturday at 11 3/4c.

\$2.00 Lace Curtain, pretty patterns 2 1/2 and 3 yards long; priced special at 98c.

\$2.50 Lace Trimmed Curtains, white and ecru 2 1/2 yards long; priced special at \$1.49.

\$3.00 Marquisette Curtains in white and ecru, 2 1/2 yds. long; priced special for Saturday at \$1.98

18c Huck Towels 9 1/2c

Best 25c Pillow Cases 14 1/2c

Best 35c Pillow Cases 19c

Best 81x90 Bed Sheets 98c

Best 72x90 Bed Sheets 79c

\$2.00 Fringed Bed Spread. \$1.19

Best \$1.50 Bed Spread 98c

\$1.50 Hemstitch'd Table Cloth 98c

27c Table Oil Cloth 14 1/2c

50c Cotton Batts 19c

75c Flowered Scarfs 49c

6 cans Kitchen Klenzer 19c

8 bars Laundry Soap 25c

\$1.25 Crib Blankets 89c

\$1.00 Crib Blankets 69c

\$2 Scalloped Bed Sheet . . . \$1.19

1 Lot of 21c Curtain Goods—Priced special for Saturday at 13c.

1 Lot of 27c Curtain Goods—Priced special for Saturday at 16 1/2c.

34-Inch Bleached Muslin—Valued at 45c; priced special for Saturday 24 1/2c.

\$1.50 Scrim Curtains—Lace trim, already for use, 2 1/2 yards long; priced special at 69c.

40c Heavy Bed Ticking—One lot of heavy striped Bed Ticking; priced special for Saturday at 24c.

37 1/2c Radnor Suiting—36-Inch Radnor Suiting in small or large checks and stripes, priced special for Saturday 16 1/2c.

27 1/2c Sateen—33-In. Oriental Mills Sateen, in black, blue, brown, green, etc.—priced special for Saturday at 14 1/2c.

19c Canton Flannel—One lot of heavy Canton Flannel, priced special for Saturday 8 3/4c.

47 1/2c Flannel—Genuine white Flannel; priced special for Saturday at 26 1/2c.

18c Windsor Suiting 9 1/2c—Come in light or dark colors; priced special for Saturday at 9 1/2c.

15c Dress Voile 7 1/2c—Come in plain colors, stripes and plaids; priced special for Saturday at 7 1/2c.

1 Lot 15c Curtain Goods—Priced special for Saturday at 8 1/2c.

\$5.00 Lace and Insertion trimmed Curtains, 2 1/2 yards long; priced special for Saturday at \$2.49

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